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SECURITY SYSTEM WITH MECHANISM
FOR CONTROLLING CORD

BJARNE FREDERIKSEN ET AL) TWISTING

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 10, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as indicated below.

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around its length as described above. As seen in Fig. 4, if the sensor 35 is continuously turned in one direction, the cord between the sensor and pulley will in fact kink.

In light of this, it is respectfully requested that the rejection of claim 22 be withdrawn.

Claim 27 depends from claim 22 and recites further significant structural detail to further distinguish over the prior art.

Entry of the amendment, reconsideration of the rejection of claims 22 and 27, and allowance of the case are requested.

Enclosed is the extra claim fee of \$100.00. Should additional fees be required in connection with this matter, please charge our deposit account No. 23-0785.

Respectfully submitted,

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